REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Caims 1-35 are currently pending in this application.

Double Patenting Rejection

Claims 1-35 are provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of

non-statutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims

1-26 of copending Application No. 10/845,829. A Terminal Disclaimer is submitted

herewith to overcome the obviousness-type double patenting rejection. The

withdrawal of the provisional obviousness-type double patenting rejection is

respectfully requested.

Conclusion

If the Examiner believes that any additional minor formal matters need to be

addressed in order to place this application in condition for allowance, or that a

telephone interview will help to materially advance the prosecution of this

application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the

Examiner's convenience.

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In view of the foregoing remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application, including claims 1-35, is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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